

COL. BENTON'S HISTORY.

PREFACE.

MOTIVES FOR WRITING THIS WORK.

2.—QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE WORK.

3.—THE SCOPE OF THE WORK

4.—THE SPIRIT OF THE WORK

REMOVAL OF THE SIOUX.—The Superintendent and Agent appear to have overcome the obstacles which were in the way of removing the Sioux to their new home, and they are now on the march. We see very few of them about the streets of St. Paul, which fact leads to the supposition that the removal will be more general than was anticipated some two months since. This is a matter of universal congratulation. —*Minneapolis, Oct. 15.*

THE JUDICIARY AND THE PRESS.

The jury was then empannelled, after some difficulty, and the witnesses, of whom there are a very large number, were called and sworn.

The order was entered on deliberation, and, we trust, will not be violated.

reasons so fully and clearly stated by my brother Judge, and which must have been obvious to any mind of common intelligence, there was an unmistakable propriety in the order referred to. It was made upon the motion of the counsel for the defendants, connected with a statement that, in their judgment, it was necessary to a fair trial of this important case. As a member of this Court, I regarded it as proper when entered, and I am aware of no sufficient reason for a change of that opinion. I con-

FIRE AND HORRIBLE DEATH.—Arthur Stevenson, a confirmed inebriate, in Concord, Lewis county, (Ky.) went home drunk late on Saturday night, and while carelessly walking about the room with a candle in his hand, it is supposed, accidentally set fire to the mosquito bar of the bed in which his wife lay asleep. The flames spread so fast that before Mrs. Stevenson could get out of bed her clothes were all on fire and she was burnt almost to death, surviving but a few hours. The house was burnt to the

LETTER FROM THE JAPAN EXPEDITION

A female slave was found in Cincinnati last week sauntering about the streets. The officer asked her where she lived, and was answered, "I am a slave, and have lost my master. We were returning to our home in Virginia." She was placed in the watch-house, and soon after her master found her, and both went down to the steamer and left for Virginia. She expressed perfect willingness to return.

ANCIENT SILVER MINES

A fortnight ago Michael Keenny was married to Ann Waters at Stamford, Connecticut. Nine days afterwards he married Mary Ganna, at Williamsburg, Long Island, and in two days more found himself in the clutches of the law for "a woman's last shuff' to wear."

THE FRENCH UNIVERSAL EXHIBITION

The Count de Santiago to Mr. May.

that two young men of that city have constructed a boiler and steam engine, on the same principle of the steam fire-engine, which they can wheel about from one part of the city to the other, and when they receive a job to saw wood can raise steam in about ten minutes, adjust their circular saw in the mean time, and in half an hour cut a cord of wood in two or three pieces, as may be desired. The whole machinery does not weigh over five hundred pounds, and may be regarded as a neat improvement and